

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

- 1 1. In combination, a balloon and a recording and playback device associated therewith.
- 1 2. The combination of claim 1, wherein said balloon is associated with said audio
2 recording and playback device by means selected from a ribbon and a stem.
- 1 3. The combination of claim 2, wherein said audio recording and playback device forms
2 part of a balloon weight assembly.
- 1 4. A balloon weight assembly comprising:
2 an audio recording and playback device and means for associating at least one
3 balloon with said audio recording and playback device.
- 1 5. The balloon weight assembly of claim 1, further comprising a body portion retaining
2 said audio recording and playback device.
- 1 6. The balloon weight assembly of claim 5, wherein said audio recording and playback
2 device and said body are joined in a one piece design.
- 1 7. The balloon weight assembly of claim 5, wherein said body includes a cavity and said
2 audio recording and playback device is selectively received in said cavity.
- 1 8. The balloon weight assembly of claim 7, wherein said audio recording and playback
2 device is sized to create an interference fit with at least a portion of said cavity.
- 1 9. A balloon weight assembly for attachment to a balloon comprising:
2 a body portion;
3 a cavity defined within said body portion; and

4 an audio recording and playback device, separate and distinct from said body
5 portion, said audio recording and playback device being selectively receivable within
6 said cavity.

1 10. The balloon weight assembly of claim 9, wherein said audio recording and playback
2 device is sized to create an interference fit with said cavity.

1 11. The balloon weight assembly of claim 9, wherein said audio recording and playback
2 device includes at least one opening and said cavity includes at least one alignment
3 rib, said opening and said alignment rib mating when said audio recording and
4 playback device is received within said cavity.

1 12. The balloon weight assembly of claim 11, wherein said audio recording and playback
2 device includes a support foot, and said support foot aids in supporting the balloon
3 weight assembly when said alignment rib and said opening are mated.